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Applicant:	Dong Yeung KWAK et al.	Conf. No.:	8725
Appln. No.:	09/736,310✓	Group:	2812
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For:	LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY DEVICE AND FABRICATING METHOD THEREOF		

***COMMENTS ON EXAMINER'S STATEMENT
OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE***

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Commissioner for Patents
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May 5, 2004

Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance, Applicants provide the following comments.

REMARKS

Claims 7-11 and 28-45 remain allowed in connection with the present application.

Applicants wish to emphasize that each of the claims of the present application are allowable over the prior art of record as a whole, and not solely based on the features mentioned (or underlined) in the Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance. Accordingly, the Examiner's Statement of Reasons

for Allowance is applicable wherever it is appropriate in view of the language of the allowed claims and should not be in any way construed to limit the scope of protection offered by these allowed claims.

Should there be any outstanding matters which need to be resolved in the present application, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact Esther H. Chong (Registration No. 40,953) at the telephone number of the undersigned below.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and further replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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